

BIG SANDY NEWS.

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NEWS ITEMS.

At Paris, Tex., Johnson Jacobs, ex-Chicago chief, will be shot April 12.

Navigation of Lake Erie was opened Thursday by the Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Co.

The South and West Grain Trade Congress assembled at St. Louis, Mo., Friday, and regularly organized.

Rudolph Weckel, of Toledo, O., was found hanging in his sister's barn at Toledo. Dependancy caused the suicide.

At Warren, O., Thomas Welch, of Youngstown, was sentenced to the penitentiary for eighteen years for grand larceny.

The managers of the Mexican exposition are anxious to secure the cooperation of Ohio in the collection of exhibits.

Mrs. Ed Mason, of Jacksonville, Ill., was burned fatally Wednesday. She was burning rubbish in the yard. Her dress caught fire.

At Baltimore William Lee was acquitted of the murder of Edward Brennan, May 23 last without the jury leaving their seats.

Henry Wessel, Wabash, Ind., has just received \$1,400 back pension. He received injuries during the war that rendered him insane.

H. W. Merrill, of Palm, Fla., says he is satisfied that the report about the sloop Robinson Cruise being lost is a first day of April joke.

While Wm. Huff, of Belmont, O., was trying to pull his pistol to shoot a savage dog, he accidentally shot himself. He will recover.

A settlement has been reached between the striking boiler-makers of Cleveland, O., and the manager of the Cleveland Shipbuilding Co.

Miss Sarah Kynon, of Mineral Ridge, Mahoning county, O., has fallen heir to \$65,000 in Wales, and will leave at once to recover the fortune.

Russell Sage has got a judgment by default for \$34,360 against the executors of Henry S. Ives. The case arose out of transactions in Wall street.

Charles Crover, of Buffalo, N. Y., pleaded guilty at Warren, O., to shooting at an Erie passenger train and was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years.

The various unions of Cleveland have raised \$105 for the Deba defense fund, which amount has been turned into the treasury of the American Railway union.

No tolls will be charged for the passage of vessels through the Canadian "Soo" canal. A formal order in council to this effect has just been passed.

Herman Stern, a retired stock dealer of Logansport, Ind., was struck by a piece of flying timber while blasting stamps on one of his farms and was fatally injured.

The governor of North Carolina has commuted the sentence of Billy McDaniel, sentenced to be hanged April 12, at Asheville, for murder, to imprisonment for life.

Cornelius Tuile, a fireman of No. 3 engine house, Toledo, O., was thrown from Chief Mayo's buggy Wednesday, sustaining injuries from which he died Wednesday night.

Among the passengers by the steamship Puert Blauquez, which arrived at New York Friday, were Mrs. Leo M. Pullman and Sanger Pullman and the Misses Rockefeller.

Martin Kapsch, who was elected to the position of town trustee in Silverville, a suburb of Denver, Col., accidentally shot himself while cleaning a revolver.

A boy named Harvey, living in Wilkesville township, fifteen miles southeast of McArthur, O., shot his neighbor, Ephraim Strawn, through the breast.

Hon. H. J. Turner, premier of British Columbia, arrived in London on his way to London to float a loan of \$5,000,000 for provincial purposes. He went to Ottawa Friday.

Urgent orders have been cabled Admiral Kirkland to assemble the ships of his command on the coast of the Irish land to prevent the threatened massacre of Catholics.

Mrs. Henry Miller, of Menard, Ind., has been in a dangerous condition for the past two days as a result of taking a tablespoonful of liniment, which was intended for external use only.

Constable Burns, of Jefferson City, Mo., Thursday arrested two tramps named Langley and Ward. He says he has evidence that they are implicated in the Iron Mountain train robbery.

James McMahon was run over by a O. & N. freight train near Bellino, O., early Friday morning and cut in two, dying instantly. He was thirty years of age and leaves a wife and two children.

Internal Revenue Collector Webster Withers estimates that the western district of Missouri, which includes about fifty-seven counties, will contribute about \$100,000 to the government as income tax.

Negroes were at work in a Jeffersonville, Ind., Friday morning digging up the skeleton of a half-grown person. As the skull was crushed the impression is that murder has been done.

Advises from Shimonski show that Li Hing Chang's wound in the face is healing well, and that it is expected that he will be in the enjoyment of complete health in a few days, when he will again attend the peace conference.

Ferry Finn, a switchman on the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad, was fatally injured at Lima, O., while making a flying switch. He was a single man and was killed within a few feet from where he boards. His mother was killed near the same place about four years ago.

Great suffering exists in Galway county, Ireland, from destitution, and Thursday a train of cars loaded with flour and another train of twenty cars loaded with stock went north from Springfield, Ill., on the Chicago and Alton railroad, bound for New York, whence they will be shipped to Ireland.

An unknown man was cut to pieces near Monmouth, N. J., of Decatur, Ia., by south-bound freight No. 12. The body was discovered by passenger train No. 1, and Corporal Clark was at once notified. The corpse was unrecognizable.

Malina Washburn, in jail at Norwalk, O., for the murder of Jeremiah Floyd, had to be confined in a separate cell Tuesday. He tore up his clothes, ripped up the bed clothes and made a murderous attack upon a fellow prisoner. His defense of the crime will be that he was in a separate cell Tuesday. He tore up his clothes, ripped up the bed clothes and made a murderous attack upon a fellow prisoner. His defense of the crime will be that he was in a separate cell Tuesday.

COLLAPSED.

Two Buildings at Wheeling Fall Without Warning.

Burying About a Dozen Men Within the Ruins.

A Large Force of Men Put to Work on One to Rescue the Unfortunates, But Their Efforts Were Unsuccessful.

Wheeling, W. Va., April 9.—At 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning one of the most fearful disasters in the history of Wheeling occurred. Two of the handsomest buildings in the city fell, with scarcely a moment's warning, burying about a dozen men within the ruins.

The structures were each five stories high and were occupied by T. T. Hutchinson & Co., wholesale dealers in leather and hardware, and W. H. Chapman & Co., dealers in painters' and builders' supplies. The Chapman building was commenced last fall and was just nearing completion when the accident occurred. The two buildings are adjoining, the Hutchinson building being on the corner of Alley 9 and Main street.

At the hour mentioned the employees heard an ominous crackling, the big structure gave a convulsive tremor and, with a crash, the south wall fell, tearing down the flooring and structural work at the same time.

W. H. Clifton, a carpenter at work in Chapman's, noticed the wall falling out of the wall separating the two buildings. He immediately gave the alarm and started for the door. Before he had reached it bricks and mortar were falling down in showers, and just as he got outside the crash came. William H. Chapman, Walter Chapman and Newton Wilson, the proprietors, also escaped without injury other than being bruised by the falling bricks.

The ruins caught fire and before the department arrived were giving rise to a big, blinding smoke, which made the work of rescuing very difficult.

At noon the following men had either been taken out dead or were known to be lost:

Father P. H. Park, vicar general, W. S. Priebe, merchant, Buckhannon, W. Va.; Eugene Burke, an employee of Hutchinson & Co.; Robert Winchester, employe of Hutchinson & Co.; Harry Cow, Western union messenger.

The last four named have not yet been found, but it is hardly possible they are alive, as they are supposed to be in the rear portion of the ruins, which is burning so fiercely that rescue work is impossible. Wm. Crabbe, the cabman, and Cow were caught in the alley.

The injured—T. T. Hutchinson, senior member of Hutchinson & Co., one rib broken and internal injuries; will probably recover.

E. E. Williams, carpenter, severe cuts on head; not serious.

H. J. Ford, salesman for Hutchinson, hip broken.

W. H. Haller, bookkeeper, and H. Blum escaped unhurt.

The cause of the accident was the alleged defective construction of the Hutchinson building, which was weakened a year or so ago by the addition of two stories. The loss will be at least \$100,000, as both the buildings and stock are total loss. The seriousness of the situation was added to by natural gas setting fire to the ruins and the blaze spreading to S. M. Rice & Co.'s building across the alley.

At 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the firemen were just about holding their own with the flames. The work of tearing away the debris was proceeding rapidly Tuesday, but only one body has been taken out, that of Fritchard, of Buckhannon. It is now positively known that the bodies of Wheeler, Horan, Cow, Birch and Father Park were still in the ruins, and that if they were not killed by the crash, they have surely been suffocated or burned to death. William Crabbe, the cabman, reported missing Tuesday morning, turned up Tuesday afternoon. He had been driving outside the city, and not returning by the regular time, was given up for lost.

It is said that a cab and driver were caught in the debris, but it is not known whether it is. Father Park was the oldest Catholic priest in this diocese.

Cold-blooded Murder.

Nashville, Tenn., April 9.—The story of a cold-blooded assassination comes from Limestone county, Ala. A recent coal working Morgan Weaver and Will Lumpkin became involved in a fight, of which Lumpkin got the best. Monday afternoon Weaver hid himself in a fence corner, and as Lumpkin came by killed him with a shotgun. He had made deliberate preparations for lending the country before committing the murder, and has not yet been located.

Infant Life Insurance.

Boston, April 9.—The legislative committee on insurance has reported to the house favorably on the bill to prohibit life insurance companies in Massachusetts placing a policy on the life of any child under ten years of age. The members dissented. The bill, if it passes, will affect business to the amount of over \$2,000,000 annually.

The Postmaster's Mystery.

Elwood, Ind., April 9.—No warrants have yet been issued by Judge Billcock for the arrest of Dan Kelley and John Shover, whom Mrs. Maggie Bolton implicated in her confession as being necessary to the murder of William Post. Many place no credence in the confession. Instead of clearing up the mystery, it only increases it.

Two Immigrants Suffocated.

New York, April 9.—John Clode, 73, and Leonard Lafren, 58, French farmers, who arrived here Monday from France, were found dead Tuesday morning in their room at the Hotel du France. They had been suffocated by escaping gas.

Died From Frigate.

Watkinsburg, Ind., April 9.—While Eugene S. Aldrich and daughter were driving across the railroad a few miles north of this city, the horse shied. The young lady jumped out unhurt, but the mother remained in the carriage and died from fright.

Boy Killed by Whisk.

Shenandoah, O., April 9.—A boy, a boy of 13, residing at Weaver's station, was furnished liquor by Wm. Arlington, a ruffian, and the effects caused his death Tuesday morning. Arlington has skipped, and if found, may be indicted.

INCOME TAX LAW.

Tax on Receipts From Real Estate Unconstitutional—Tax on Income From State, County or Municipal Bonds a Violation of the Constitution.

Washington, April 8.—The anxiously awaited decision of the United States supreme court in the income tax case was rendered Monday by Chief Justice Fuller. The court knocked out the law so far as it taxed incomes derived from rents, and also from state, county and municipal bonds. By a vote of the court the law was sustained in other respects.

The court's conclusions, after reviewing the historical and other phases of the question, were as follows:

In Charles H. Lockett vs. the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co. et al, it is established:

1. That by the constitution federal taxation is divided into two great classes: Direct taxes and duties, imposts and excises.

2. The imposition of direct taxes is governed by the rule of apportionment among the several states, according to numbers, and the imposition of duties, imposts and excises by the rule of uniformity throughout the United States.

3. That the principle that taxation and representation go together was intended to be and was preserved in the constitution by the establishment of the rule of apportionment among the several states, so that such apportionment should be according to numbers in each state.

4. That the states surrendered their power to levy imposts and to regulate commerce to the general government and gave it the power to levy direct taxes in reliance on the protection afforded by the rules prescribed, and that the compromise of the constitution can not be disturbed by legislative action.

5. That these conclusions result from the text of the constitution and are supported by the historical evidence furnished by the circumstances surrounding the framing and adoption of that instrument and the views of those who framed and adopted it.

6. That the understanding and expectation at the time of the adoption of the constitution was that direct taxes would not be levied upon the general government, except under the pressure of extraordinary exigency, and such has been the practice down to August 13, 1894. If the power to do so is to be exercised as an ordinary and usual means of supply, it furnishes an additional reason for circumspection in disposing of the present case.

7. That taxes on real estate belonging to the class of direct taxes and that the taxes on the rent or income of real estate, which is the incident of its ownership, belong to the same class.

8. That by no previous decision of this court has this question been adjudicated to the contrary of the conclusions now announced.

9. That so much of the act of August 13, 1894, as attempts to lay a tax upon the rent or income of real estate without apportionment is invalid.

Justice Field said a dissenting opinion. He said: "I am of the opinion that the whole law of 1894 is null and void. It was followed by Justice White in a dissenting opinion. Justice Field said stress upon the fact that the law does not exempt judges of United States courts from the payment of the tax. It was not right, he said, that the supreme court should remain all day and night in session when money was being taken from the pockets of United States judges drawing small salaries would be affected because of the law, and he called attention to the letter once written by Chief Justice Chase to the treasury officials protesting against the delinquency of an income tax from the salaries of United States judges.

THE CUBAN WAR.

Plot to Blow Up the Magazine in Havana Harbor—Attack on More Castle and Cabanas.

Key West, Fla., April 9.—Passengers on the steamer Mascotte, which arrived here from Havana last night, say that the assault upon the cabanas was more serious than at first reported.

More Castle was assaulted at the same time, and an attempt was made to blow up the powder magazines in Havana harbor.

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FINANCIAL.

Expenditures Pared Down to the Lowest Limit of Economy.

The Treasury Now Has a Working Capital of \$187,000,000, With \$18,000,000 Over and Above the Normal Requirement.

Washington, April 8.—From the last daily statement issued by the treasury department, it appears that the expenditures for the current fiscal year to date of \$200,000,000 have exceeded the expenditures at the rate of \$1,015,000 a day. If the same rate obtains for the balance of the fiscal year, the amount will stand, expenditures, \$270,475,000; receipts, \$315,725,000. This would leave an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$54,750,000.

The expenditures are pared down to the lowest limit of economy consistent with fixed appropriations made by law, and are likely to be increased rather than diminished; and the increase in this fiscal year have arisen from the two following principal sources:

Appropriations for the last congress made immediately available, and the quarterly interest payments on the \$165,000,000 of United States bonds, issued within fourteen months to protect and strengthen the treasury gold reserve.

So far this month expenditures on the "civil and miscellaneous account," the account that carries the principal items made immediately available by congress, are \$200,000 in excess of the corresponding period last month. It is, therefore, to increased receipts that the treasury must turn to bring the treasury receipts and expenditures.

The treasury has now a working capital of \$187,000,000, with \$18,000,000 still owing from the bond syndicate. Treasury officials, therefore, think that the treasury will not become embarrassed even if no revenue from the income tax is derived, and that it will not be necessary to issue any more bonds before congress will assemble in next December and provide revenue from other sources.

KILLS TWO AT A TIME.

Extremely Bad Negro Takes Two Lives and Wounds Three More.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 8.—Betty Glenn, commonly known as "Kid Charlie," a Negro gambler and desperado, ran amuck here early Sunday morning, and as a result two men are dead and three wounded, one of them probably fatally.

The killed are: Napoleon Stacks, a Negro porter employed in Ricker's saloon, shot in the throat and neck broken; Edward Rink, policeman, through the heart.

The wounded are: Jim Clemens, a Negro commonly known as "Big Jim," shot in the right thigh; artery thought to be severed, and may die.

James Milner, lieutenant of police, shot in the right ankle; wound slight. A Negro bootblack, name unknown, shot in the right thigh; wound slight.

Stacks, the first man killed by Betty Glenn, and that was while resisting arrest that he killed Policeman Ed Milner and wounded the others. Stacks was killed about 1 o'clock Sunday morning in the "Rabbit Foot" saloon.

Fugitive Postmaster Caught.

Winfield, Kan., April 8.—John W. Maddox, the fugitive postmaster of Genia Springs, Kan., who defaulted in December last with about \$200 of the government's money, was captured at the home of his father about a half mile from here.

He was taken to the jail here, and returned to Winfield. He related arrest at first, but on learning that the house was surrounded surrendered himself to Sheriff Sklaner, and was taken to jail Sunday morning.

Great National Holiday.

New York, April 8.—Saturday was a Greek holiday, or the anniversary of the independence of that nation, and it will be appropriately celebrated by natives of that country throughout the lands.

In this city the celebration took the form of church services and patriotic meetings. It is an interesting reminiscence that as a result of several meetings held in the city hall in 1857 the sum of \$60,000 was raised, in which three vessels were chartered and sent with provisions to the Greeks.

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This is his letter:

My allusion, made in a temper at a address at Salem on Thursday, April 4, to the drinking habits of the president of the United States was based partly on common report and partly on the testimony of eye witnesses. From various and independent sources, which I believed to be wholly reliable, I had been informed that the president had been on different occasions and in the presence of persons in an intoxicated condition. From the circumstantial and detailed character of these statements I supposed there was no doubt as to the facts alleged.

I therefore made this allusion as a matter of common report, basing my confidence on the testimony of persons, and as I supposed, creditable witnesses. The names of the witnesses, obviously, I can not with propriety reveal, since, sharing their knowledge in common with many others, they might justly shrink from being singled out and called to verify that of which not only they, but others equally with themselves had ocular proof.

I must, therefore, say that if my statement reproducing such testimony is not in harmony with facts I regret having made it. I could have neither desire nor motive for saying anything unkind or uncharitable of the president or of any party whatsoever. This case being one of conflict of testimony between witnesses of equal credibility, I can not decide, and since I have no personal knowledge apart from the testimony, I withdraw the statement and tender apology and sincere regrets to the president of the United States and to the public.

L. J. LANSING.

New York, April 8.—Indignation of the intensest kind has been kindled among democrats in New York and other cities, over the attack made on President Cleveland at the New England Methodist conference by Rev. L. J. Lansing, of Boston.

Many of the leading democrats and republicans who attended the conference at which Mr. Cleveland was present in November, 1892, and his inauguration in March, 1893, denounced the story as a lie, and in set terms expressed their opinion of the American citizen who without the shadow of proof, on simply hearsay statements would malign the character of the president of the United States.

The three dinners referred to were those of the chamber of commerce, given at Delmonico's on November 15, 1892, a dinner at the home of Henry Villard two days later, and that given by the Reform club on December 10, 1892.

Chancery M. Dewey said Sunday night: "There is only one reply that can be made to such a story—it is absolutely contemptible and absurd."

I must confess that I am not a democrat, but I am a citizen of the United States. I saw him from the time that he came in until he went away. I can say that he was absolutely sober and in full command of his faculties. He conducted himself in a way the world at large would expect from the president of the United States.

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A Mystery Explained.

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When it is Different.

He sat behind her Easter hat, and gazed in the snap. The preacher couldn't see him when he took his little nap. —Ex.

Let April throw her banners out, When March has blustered up and down, Spring is not here beyond all doubt 'till a circus strikes the town. —Ex.

Mrs. A. P. Borders is critically ill.

Smallpox is reported in twenty states.

R. F. Vinson was at Wayne, W. Va., Monday.

Rev. E. Robinson, of Paintsville, was here Tuesday.

Prof. Elam, of Blaine, was here Saturday and Sunday.

John Wilson does general blacksmithing in the best style.

Mr. Jacob Hoser visited his family in Mason county last week.

Mrs. Dick Gaines died at her home at Fallsburg on the 31st ult.

This paper has the news. If you want a newspaper, subscribe for it.

A. J. Loar & Co. are closing out their stock of goods to quit business.

Ferguson & Shannon are painting and papering G. B. Vinson's house.

Miss Cora Phillips, of Ashland, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Heeder.

Rev. T. J. Rigg, of Ashland, preached at the Baptist church last Sunday.

A ten-cent note will be given at Mrs. W. H. Waldeck's this evening. All are invited.

M. S. Burns is preparing to build a veranda to his residence, and otherwise improve it.

A five-year-old child of S. P. Hummel, of Lowmansville, was burned to death last week.

Genial Frank Friel, the popular proprietor of the Kentucky Democrat, is in Louisa this week.

On last Wednesday G. M. Copley was ordained to the ministry in the Baptist church at this place.

Major D. J. Burchett is building a two-story frame addition to the rear of his handsome residence.

Buck Ward, who was drowned a short time ago at Paintsville, Ky., was found at the head of Buffalo Shoal yesterday.

The damage suit of J. F. Kendrick against the Norfolk & Western railroad company will be tried in Boyd county, Ky.

Jay Vinson had a severe attack of lock-jaw at Williamsburg, Va., last week which lasted five days. He is now entirely recovered.

The Louisa Literary Society will have an open session to-night (Friday). Everybody invited to attend. —S. B. ASKINSON.

The infant child of Robt. Dixon had a very severe case of croup a few days ago and was thought to be beyond recovery, but is now about well.

J. F. Kendrick has engaged in the meat business with Frank Jones. They will keep all kinds of meat. Such an establishment has long been needed here.

If the hair is falling out and turning gray, the glands of the skin need stimulating and color-fod, and the best remedy and stimulant is Hall's Hair Renewer.

Rev. C. W. Cook has removed from Baltimore, Md., where he has been preaching for quite a while, to Woodstock, Va. He expects to pay Louisa a visit before a great while. His many friends will be glad to see him.

A very fine specimen of the March-Neil rose has been displayed for some time in Mrs. G. H. Chapman's front window, and has attracted much attention. It surpasses anything yet grown by the lovers of flowers at this place.

The Stafford Interior-Journal says that more than 300 acres of land will be planted in tomatoes in that county this year. Two promising factories located in the county have contracted for all the tomatoes produced on that number of acres, and the movement to build a canning factory at this place entirely "won't over."

CIRCUIT COURT.

Indictments Returned for Wilful Murder.

The Lawrence Circuit Court opened last Monday with Judge Kinser and Prosecuting Attorney Hedwine at their posts of duty.

The grand jury is an unusually good one, and is made up as follows: J. W. Jones, foreman; Samuel Lowe, Jas. H. Moore, John H. Thompson, W. H. Thompson, Harvey Burchett, J. C. Johns, J. H. Jobe, H. E. Ferguson, John See, Frank Hammond and Jas. McCormack.

The petit jury: H. B. Walters, W. H. Neal, Peter Sanders, Ed. Chapman, Frank Gambill, Marion Hammond, W. H. Bartram, J. T. Dean, Jasper Roberts, John H. Preston, Eld Williamson, Lewis B. Thompson, Eph Lockwood, M. D. Vanhoose, W. D. Batteiff, Chit Workman, Greenville Thompson, C. F. See, A. S. Tillerson, J. A. Young, Lewis W. Thompson, Robt. Webb, Alex Burns and Adam Blythe.

This term of court has distinguished itself for progress in the handling of the docket. 27 judgments in criminal cases were rendered on Tuesday.

The law now gives the jury the power to accompany its verdicts of guilty in fines cases with an order compelling the convict to work out the fine and costs on the county roads at one dollar per day, if not paid in cash. The present juries have seen fit to make this order in every case tried thus far. In consequence, the jailer has a goodly number at work already.

An indictment for wilful murder was returned against the Polphreys and those for killing Isom, and the case is set for the next term.

George Steel was convicted of breaking into Gambill's store and was given one year in the penitentiary.

The criminal docket is about exhausted.

The grand jury has returned 47 true bills for the usual offenses. James Whit, who got back home about two weeks ago from the penitentiary, (where he was sent two years ago for stealing a horse) is now in jail upon a charge of outraging "Aunt" Mary Carter a few days ago. The crime was committed on the 6th inst., an indictment was returned on the 10th and the trial is set for today (the 12th).

Special Easter Service.

On next Sunday at the M. E. Church South the services will be specially appropriate to the day. The church will be decorated with flowers, and strong efforts will be made to make the occasion one of more than usual attraction and interest. The music will be a special feature at both the morning and evening services.

COOK HOLLER, April 9th.

MISTER EDITOR:

I'm awful busy with my onions and such like, but I must tell you about Bill. Bill is Billy Maginn, my husband. He went to town yesterday and when he came home he brought four square pieces of old cloth with tape strings tied on 'em, four bottles of stuff that smell like coal oil and sawsack, and four little boxes of yarbs. I said "my sakes alive Bill, what'n the world is them?" He says, says he "Little, it's the power-fullest truck in the world. It'll cure catarrh, neuralgia, rheumatism and lots of other things—just what you've been needin'." I was awful tickled at first, till sister Jinny told me how a slick sort of a chnp had fooled so many of 'em over to Louisa. Then I was mad. Bill never would have bought him that stuff if he hadn't been expectin' a prize. All the ailment over I had was the tooth ache, and I had begged Bill more'n a year to take me to Mister Cease, the tooth dentist and have it drawn. But Bill sed he needed the 50 cents fur to buy terbacker with. And here he had gone and paid four dollars for a lot of truck not worth a old con skin. And that aint the worst. When our gal was poorly Mister Ruten came to see her 3 times and the mercury, I believe that's what they call it, way down to zero. And Bill has never paid him yet. And he owes poor old Mister Yates and Mister Swelnam, them whins dead and gone. We dont get the BIG SANDY NEWS no more, Bill says he's too poor to take it, so I went over to Miss Perkins to borrow hern, but she said SI, that's her man, taken the paper 3 years and never paid a cent on it and she gossiped the editor man stopped a sendin' of it. But she said SI bring home 2 bottles just like Bill bring. Ide rather have the BIG SANDY, as we call it, than all the pieces of old cloth and had smollin stuff in Louisa. HITTIE MAGINN.

ASHLAND'S SMALLPOX.

Albert Cleveland, the colored man who was stricken with smallpox at the steel plant some time ago, died at the pest-house Sunday afternoon. This leaves but two patients at the house, and these are on the improve. It was not expected that Cleveland would die as he had lately apparently gotten considerably better, and the change came quickly and with fatal effect. There are outside this no new developments of any kind either at the pest-house or in the city.—ASHLAND NEWS.

ONLY \$2 ROUND TRIP!

Popular Excursion to Cincinnati via C. & O. R'y., Sunday, April 21, 1895. On account of the first Sunday Championship National game between the great rival teams Cleveland vs. Cincinnati tickets good going on regular train No. 17, which will carry eight extra coaches for this occasion, leaving Chateaufort at 5:55 a. m., arriving at Cincinnati 11:35 a. m. Returning a special train will leave Fourth st. station at 7:30 p. m. Tickets also good returning on regular train leaving Central Union Depot at 7:40 a. m. Monday, April 22. Don't miss it.

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J. C. Writtenhouse of Peach Orchard is at The Bonanza Hotel. George Dinick and wife spent a few days here this week with their parents.

Lucey Johns of Laynesville is the pleasant guest of Neil Davidson.

Mrs. Isaac Richmond went to Hueysville Sunday to see her sister, Mrs. David Cooley, who is quite ill.

Louisa Ford of Pike is the guest of her cousin Lucy Ford.

Little Josephase Harkins is quite sick with whooping cough.

Mrs. Tom Leslie and Mrs. Alton of Alpharetta spent Sunday with relatives here.

Alce Jones returned from Pike Monday.

Hon T. Y. Fitzpatrick has been ill for the past few days.

Judith Davidson gave a birthday party Saturday. There were ten couples. She served refreshments and received quite a number of useful and handsome presents.

Blod, at his home on Middle creek Monday, Hon. Billie Fitzpatrick. He was 82 years of age, and will be greatly missed, as he was one of the leading citizens of this place, and was loved by all who knew him.

ONISCA.

To Applicants for Reading Circle Certificate:

The County Board of Examiners has decided to charge a fee of fifty cents for examination of manuscript filed by applicants.

The examiners will have to make two trips to the county seat, staying from two to three days each time, and paying their expenses, which, as you all know, will be no small amount.

Then, again, the manuscripts are very voluminous, ranging from thirty-five to ninety-two pages each. So you see that the work is equal to a regular county or teacher's examination for which each applicant pays a fee of one dollar. Surely the examiners are not expected to go to this expense and do this work free. Please send or hand me examination fee.

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Smallpox in W. Va.

About twenty cases of smallpox are reported from Thacker, W. Va., among the negro miners. The infected quarters are being guarded by men armed with Winchester rifles. No passenger trains stop at Thacker, and the towns within all reasonable distance are quarantined against the place. A negro from Ashland took the disease there. It is quite fatal in its effects quite a number having died.

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OUR NEIGHBORS.

A Nicholas county farmer will plant 30 acres of red peppers this year.

Thomas Watkins was acquitted of murder in the Wayne court last week.

Another party of coal men has been up Sandy to investigate the minerals. They will probably join the Merritts in the scheme to build a railroad up the valley.

An Ashland man claims to have sold more real estate in the past 11 months than in the previous five years.

H. P. Casiday, an attorney of Inez, Martin county, was married last week to Mrs. L. N. Horton, of Montgomery county.

Rev. Jas. Jude, of Martin county, is accused of burning a barn containing a large amount of corn, and the Sheriff is chasing him.

Attorney J. W. Hopson, of Martin county, has sold his property near Inez and will remove to New Mexico.

"That great event, the 'end of the world,' is announced for today. The Ashland News promises to tell 'all about it' tomorrow morning.

Harry Morton, a brakeman on the N. & W. railroad, was killed while coupling cars at Thacker, W. Va. A piece of timber projecting over the end of the car crushed his head.

There are now three cases of smallpox at Huntington, all at Rev. Heid's house. It is thought the disease will not spread.

A tramp with measles stopped at Morehead and gave that place a bad smallpox scare.

West Chateaufort suffered a \$1500 loss by fire last Sunday.

F. J. O'Connell, who has for several years managed the business of the Yellow Poplar Lumber company in this section, is no longer connected with that company.

A competitive examination to decide who shall be appointed to the cadetship at the West Point Military Academy from this congressional district will be held at Vanceburg on June 5th, 1895.

Nelson Wilburn, who lives near Denton, Carter county, and who was appointed Deputy Railroad Tax Collector, was waited upon Friday night by 300 men, but he had wisely hidden himself and was not found.

The Collector, J. W. Peck, is issuing notices of sale of property on account of the taxes, and trouble is expected.

The Portsmouth Chair Factory, which has been closed for three years, will resume May 1st.

A party of Eastern capitalists are expected in Lexington in a few days to consider the feasibility of building a branch railroad from the Lexington and Eastern to extend through Wolfe county and into that part of Morgan county rich in minerals.

The Martin County Gazette says that Union Church, about four miles from Paintsville, is the oldest Baptist Church in Eastern Kentucky. It was organized in 1810, and for many years had a large membership, but at present it consists of only twenty-eight persons.

Levi Cope, the slayer of William Combs, was convicted of murder in the first degree at Jackson Saturday, and was sentenced to be hanged in Breathitt county in quick succession. The evidence showed the assassination to have been a most cowardly one, and that there had been trouble of long standing between the Combs, Copes and Thaps. Cope last spring had Combs' wife arrested for arson, charging her with setting fire to his house, but she was acquitted, and Combs was charged with having been intimate with Tharp's sister. Combs' sister, when she heard the verdict, exclaimed "Thank God!" The result of the trial has given general satisfaction, and no trouble is expected, although the guard is still kept on the jail.

Gov. Brown has pardoned Grntt Carrett, of Letcher county, who was serving a sentence of three years on a conviction for bigamy. The circumstances as developed show that Carrett was innocent. He married his first wife in Douglas county, Missouri, a few years ago, but separated from her, and she obtained a divorce in 1892. He came to Kentucky and married in 1893. He was prosecuted, and, either from ignorance or want of counsel, failed to plead the fact that he had been divorced from his former wife. Gov. Brown made a thorough investigation and in commenting upon the case said he did not know why the man had been sent up in this manner, and he considered it almost an unparalleled outrage.

To Contractors. Sealed bids will be received until the 10th of May upon building a school house in district No. 82; the house to be 50x26 feet and 11 feet from floor to ceiling. The right is reserved to accept any or reject all bids.

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KENTUCKY STATE NEWS.

JOSEPH J. WILKIN, chief engineer of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, met a horrible death. He was caught in a shaft of a fly wheel making 200 revolutions a minute and was dashed against the wall and ceiling of a room. The body was a shapeless mass, almost every bone being broken. His death was a great loss to the railroad.

THE LAST LEGISLATURE made large appropriations for additions to be built to the three lunatic asylums, but the institutions have not received any of the money, because the state auditor says that he can not issue warrants for money "not otherwise appropriated."

THE FOLLOWING POSTMASTERS were appointed in Kentucky a few days ago: Lynnville, Graves county, J. E. Emery; Murray, Callaway county, K. B. Robertson; St. Lawrence, Davies county, R. H. Speck; Temperance, Simpson county, James Wright.

THE FAMILY OF PROF. BRUNER, whose charred remains were found in the burned woods in Hancock county the other day, now believe he was murdered, and will ask for an investigation. His wallet contained \$100, and he wore an overcoat and rubber coat, no trace of which could be found about the body.

THE MCKINNEY MACHINERY business, near Owensboro, were totally destroyed by fire. It is supposed that tramps started the fire.

A CASE OF SMALL-POX has developed at Kentucky Union Junction, in Clark county, having been taken there from Ashland.

ON THE FIRST SATURDAY in August the people of Washington county will vote on the question of making all the turnpikes in the county free.

A CASE OF SMALL-POX has developed at Carrollton in a Negro deckhand, who left his boat at that place.

THE STATE INSPECTOR JEROME GARDNER has been examining a number of claims against the state from Whitley county. The attorney general ruled a few days ago that Perry county should pay certain taxes assessed against the state, and the Whitley county case is similar to the Perry county instance. The claims are for mileage for witnesses special ballots, etc.

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